

KP4-H



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It may be snowing today, but we know it's not here for long, and soon we'll be in short sleeves and flip flops, comfortable in our beloved Alaskan summer.

Things are moving fast now, and it's important to keep up! Make sure to check the KP 4-H yearly planner each month and see what dates have been added as events are planned!

Business contacts will be coming soon for our JML'ers, and I'll soon get happy reports from within our community of "those 4-H kids who always sound so polite and professional."

The Expo schedule is underway, and before long, there will be family packets going out with all the nitty gritty details of our big weekend.

Until then, keep doing all the good that you are in your club, your community, your country, and your world!

Ms. Cassy



Spring is nature's way of saying, 'Let's party.'"

— Robin Williams

MAY 2024

KP 4-H CALENDAR



Call or text (907) 398-3588 for questions about events.

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- 6 District Council/JML Board
6:30 @Extension Office
- 8 Activities Team 7am - Zoom
- 14 Expo Building Team 6pm - Zoom
- 18 Leaders Lunch 1:30pm - CES Office
- 20 Creative Writers Group 2:30 - CES Office



KP 4-H YEARLY PLANNER

2023-24



OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
<p>Elections</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 2023-24 4-H Year Begins 2-8 National 4-H Week 7 Kenai Pumpkin Festival 12-3 16 District/JML Council Mtg 630 28 Howl-O-Ween PenDOG 4-6 30 Council/JML Exec Session 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 Leader Meeting 1-3 pm 6 District Council/JML Board 6:30 10-12 Ag Convention, Anchorage 27 Creative Writers Kick-Off Mtg Expo Theme Contest all month 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 Annual Meeting, KP 4-H District Council & JML Board; Open House 4 JML Enrollment Deadline 22 Mobile Bake Sale <p>12/23- 1/3 Extension Office Closed</p>
JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 15 District Council/JML Board 6:30 22 JML 101 6pm 	<p>-Expo Teams Kick Off</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5 District Council/JML Board 6:30 10 Rally Day 2024 22 Expo All Teams 630 28-March 1 AK 4-H Summit, Fairbanks 	<p>-Business Contact Team Work Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 District Council/JML Board 6:30 9 Expo Activities Team 14 Expo Finance/PR Team 14 Expo All Teams 6:30 16 KP 4-H Leaders' Lunch 1:30 23 Public Presentation Day 2024 25 Creative Writers Group 2:30 28 Expo Building Super
APRIL	MAY	JUNE
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 District Council/JML Board 6:30 3 Livestock Judging Statewide Zoom 5 8 Expo Horse Team 6 9 Livestock Skill-a-Thon Statewide Zoom 5 9 Expo Building Team 6 11 Expo All Teams 6:30 Zoom/In Person 12-13 Alaska State Horse Contest, Palmer 13-14 KP 4-H @ Home Show 15 Livestock Quiz Bowl Statewide Zoom 5 16 JML Salesmanship W/S 17 Livestock Contest Q&A Zoom 5 18 KP 4-H Leaders' Zoom 6 pm 22 Creative Writers Group 2:30 22 KP 4-H Funds Team Mtg 5 	<p>-Business Contacts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3-4 AK 4-H State Livestock Contest, Fairbanks 6 District Council/JML Board 6:30 11 KP 4-H Tree Sale 18 KP 4-H Leaders' Lunch 1:30 20 Creative Writers Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 District Council/JML Board 6:30 10 Expo Horse Team 6 15 YQCA 11am - CES Office 15 Horse Certs and Show Sign-up Deadline 17 Creative Writers Group 20 KP 4-H Leaders' Zoom 6 pm Record Book workshop TBA
JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 District Council/JML Board 6:30 1 Biz contact check and Expo entry forms due 4 KP 4-H Kenai Parade 8 Expo Horse Team 6pm - Zoom 12 Poultry Workshop 4pm - Homer 13 Expo Deco Party & Cage Sign 1-3 - Homer Public Library 26-28 KP 4-H Ag Expo 2024 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2-4 KP 4-H Horse Show Weekend 5 District Council/JML Board 6:30 17 KP 4-H Leaders' Lunch 1:30 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Labor Day 9 District Council/JML Board 6:30 19 KP 4-H Leaders' Zoom 6 pm 21 KP 4-H Leaders' Lunch 1:30

Open to 4-H ages Intermediate and Senior

Writing Projects for 2023-24:

Feb: Revamp an old piece &
200-Word Story

March: 2-Sentence Stories

April: Poetry

May: Adventure

June: Group Story

Contact Cassy Rankin
crankin4@alaska.edu
907.398.3588

Extension Office

2:30 - 4:30 pm

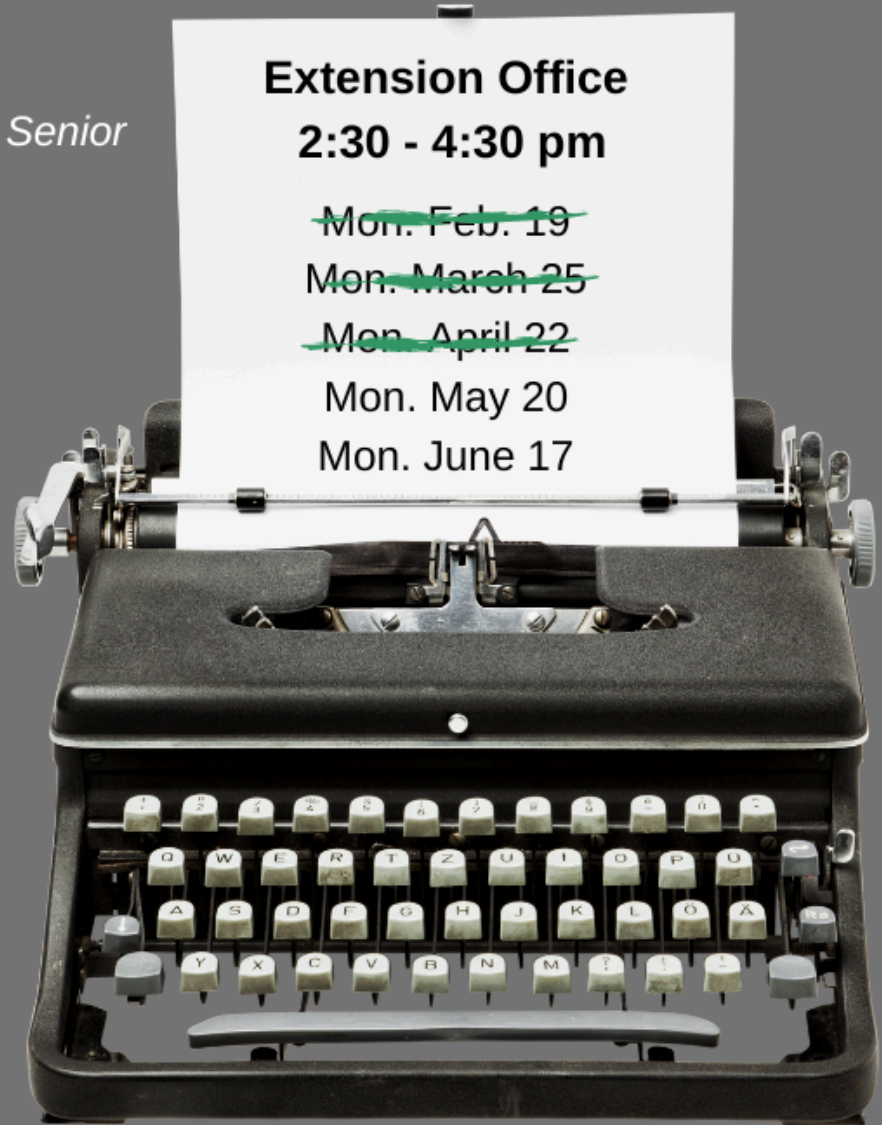
~~Mon. Feb. 19~~

~~Mon. March 25~~

~~Mon. April 22~~

Mon. May 20

Mon. June 17



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"START WRITING, NO MATTER
WHAT. THE WATER DOES NOT
FLOW UNTIL THE FAUCET IS
TURNED ON."

—LOUIS L'AMOUR





Flame Amur
Maple



Common Purple
Lilac



Dr. Alexander
Fleming Peony



Primus White
Currant



Paper Birch



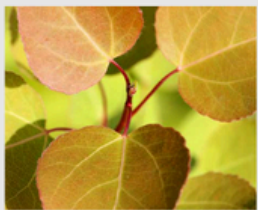
Bur Oak



Karl Rosenfield
Peony



Seabrook Black
Currant



Quaking Aspen



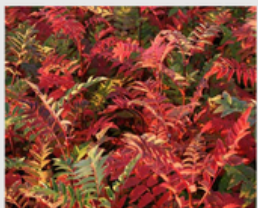
White Mulberry



Sweet Purple
Asparagus



Boyne Raspberry



European
Mountain Ash



Honey Queen
Raspberry

Kenai Peninsula District 4-H

Tree Sale

Saturday, May 11th @Ilam Soldotna Creek Park

PRE-ORDERS AVAILABLE AT:

kp4htreesale.square.site

Contact Cassy Rankin (907)398-3588 with any questions



2024 State Horse Contest Results

Contest Results:

Horse Judging

Teams:

1. Turbo Trotters (Mat-Su) – Natiley Robinson, Tayson Wilson, Marianne Bakk, and Kyrie Cook.
2. Boss Mares (Kenai) – Kelsey Gravelle, Alisha Wilburn, Skye Glessing, and Jesha Mercill.
3. Steeldust (Tanana) – Julie Weisensel, Isabelle Miller, Haley Agostine, and Noelle Walters.
4. Rockin Ranchers (Tanana) – Emma Austin, Leah Austin, Rebecca Reinheller, and Trista Reinheller.
5. River Runners (Mat-Su) – Elsa Rodriguez, Lillian Kula, Lydia Hanson, and Lexi Malone.

Individuals:

Juniors:

1. Tayson Wilson (Mat-Su)
2. Marianne Bakk (Mat-Su)
3. Rayne Harter (Kenai)
4. Sadie Gibson (Kenai)

Intermediates:

1. Rebecca Reinheller (Tanana)
2. Anja Wandling (Tanana)
3. Lillian Kula (Mat-Su)
4. Kyrie Cook (Mat-Su)
5. Natiley Robinson (Mat-Su)

Seniors:

1. Alisha Wilburn (Kenai)
2. Julie Weisensel (Tanana)
3. Isabelle Miller (Tanana)
4. Elsa Rodriguez (Mat-Su)
5. Haley Agostine (Tanana)

Horse Judging Quality Champion – Chelsea Curwen (Tanana)

Horse Judging Performance Champion – Krista Wold (Mat-Su)

Horse Judging Oral Reason Champion – Tayson Wilson (Mat-Su)

Horse Judging Overall Champion – Tayson Wilson (Mat-Su)

Demonstrations/Illustrated Talk:

Junior:

1. Kyrie Cook (Mat-Su) Internal and External Parasites
2. Leah Austin (Tanana) How to Judge Hunt Seat Equitation
3. Trista Reinheller (Tanana) Cushings

Senior:

1. Lexi Mallon (Mat-Su) Common Skin Bacteria
2. Elsa Rodriguez (Mat-Su) Competitive Trail Riding



3. Emma Austin (Tanana) What Do You Know About AQHA?

Public Speech:

Senior:

1. Kelsey Gravelle (Kenai) The History of the Kentucky Derby
2. Lillian Kula (Mat-Su) Cushing in Horses

Horse Bowl:

Teams:

1. Midnight Sun Riders (Tanana) – Chelsea Curwen, Winter Moon, Anja Wandling, and Dean Watson.
2. River Runners (Mat-Su) – Elsa Rodriguez, Lillian Kula, Lydia Hanson, and Lexi Malone.
3. Trail Blazers (Kenai) – Jolie Webb, Phoebe Lang, Sadie Gibson, and Rayne Harter.

High Points:

1. Julie Weisensel (Tanana)
2. Chelsea Curwen (Tanana)
3. Anja Wandling (Tanana)
4. Alisha Wilburn (Kenai)
5. Elsa Rodriguez (Mat-Su)



Hippology

Teams Overall:

1. Backstreet Bays (Mat-Su) – Lexi Malone, Elsa Rodriguez, Lydia Hanson, and Faith Stewart.
2. Midnight Sun Riders (Tanana) –Chelsea Curwen, Winter Moon, Anja Wandling, and Dean Watson.
3. Steeldust (Tanana) – Julie Weisensel, Isabelle Miller, Haley Agostine, and Noelle Walters.

Junior Individuals:

1. Mary Ann Bakk (Mat-Su)
2. Tarin Thomas (Mat-Su)
3. Sadie Gibson (Kenai)

Intermediate Individuals:

1. Phoebe Lang (Kenai)
2. Lillian Kula (Mat-Su)
3. Anja Wandling (Tanana)

Senior Individuals:

1. Chelsea Curwen (Tanana)
2. Lexi Malone (Mat-Su)
3. Alisha Wilbrun (Kenai)

High Point Individuals Overall:

1. Chelsea Curwen (Tanana)
2. Phoebe Lang (Kenai)
3. Lexi Malone (Mat-Su)



Stations Individuals:

Juniors:

4. Mary Ann Bakk (Mat-Su)
5. Tarin Thomas (Mat-Su)
6. Sadie Gibson (Kenai)

Intermediate:

4. Phoebe Lang (Kenai)
5. Lillian Kula (Mat-Su)
6. Anja Wandling (Tanana)

Senior:

1. Chelsea Curwen (Tanana)
2. Elsa Rodriguez (Mat-Su)
3. Lexi Malone (Mat-Su)

Station Teams:

1. Backstreet Bays (Mat-Su) – Lexi Malone, Elsa Rodriguez, Lydia Hanson, and Faith Stewart.
2. Midnight Sun Riders (Tanana) –Chelsea Curwen, Winter Moon, Anja Wandling, and Dean Watson.
3. Steeldust (Tanana) – Julie Weisensel, Isabelle Miller, Haley Agostine, and Noelle Walters.

Exam Individuals:

Junior:

1. Mary Ann Bakk (Mat-Su)
2. Tarin Thomas (Mat-Su)
3. Sadie Gibson (Kenai)

Intermediate:

1. Rebecca Reinheller (Tanana)
2. Jesha Mercill (Kenai)
3. Phoebe Lang (Kenai)

Seniors:

1. Chelsea Curwen (Tanana)
2. Julie Weisensel (Tanana)
3. Lexi Malone (Mat-Su)

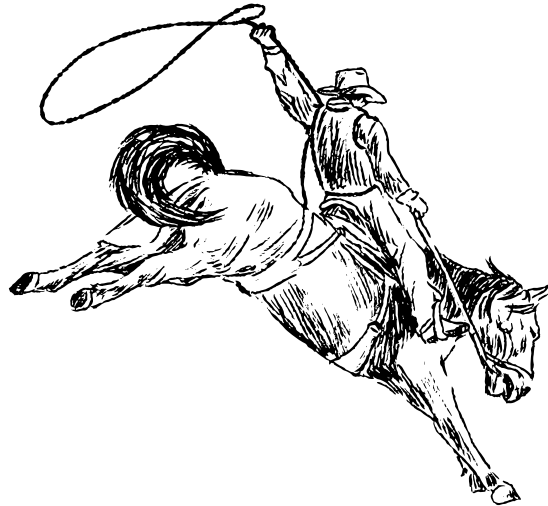
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3. Boss Mares (Kenai) –Kelsey Gravelle, Alisha Wilburn, Skye Glessing, and Jesha Mercill.

Horse Judging Individuals:

Juniors:

1. Mary Ann Bakk (Mat-Su)
2. Tarin Thomas (Mat-Su)
3. Sadie Gibson (Kenai)



Intermediate:

1. Phoebe Lang (Kenai)
2. Kyrie Cook (Mat-Su)
3. Lillian Kula (Mat-Su)

Senior:

1. Alisha Wilburn (Kenai)
2. Faith Steward (Mat-Su)
3. Julie Weisensel (Tanana)

Horse Judging Teams:

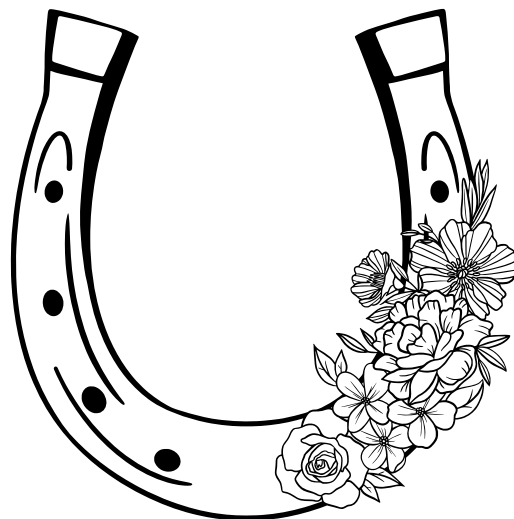
1. Bronco Bunch (Mat-Su) – Kyrie Cook, Mary Ann Bakk, Tarin Thomas, and Natiley Robinson.
2. Midnight Sun Riders (Tanana) –Chelsea Curwen, Winter Moon, Anja Wandling, and Dean Watson.
3. Backstreet Bays (Mat-Su) – Lexi Malone, Elsa Rodriguez, Lydia Hanson, and Faith Stewart.

Team Problems:

1. Backstreet Bays (Mat-Su) – Lexi Malone, Elsa Rodriguez, Lydia Hanson, and Faith Stewart.
2. Rockin' Ranchers (Tanana) –Lean Austin, Emma Austin, Rebecca Reinheller, and Trista Reinheller.
3. Trail Blazers (Kenai) – Jolie Webb, Phoebe Lang, Sadie Gibson, and Rayne Harter.



*Congratulations to our
KP Youth!*





Alaska State 4-H Livestock Contest 2024



-Livestock Judging-

Intermediate 1st: Skye Glessing, Kenai
Intermediate 2nd: Kaelin Topp, Tanana
Senior 1st: Ella Rankin, Kenai
Senior 2nd: Levi Rankin, Kenai
Senior 3rd: Timothy Dote, Tanana

Overall Judging:

Champs: Tie, Ella Rankin & Skye Glessing, Kenai
Reserve Champ: Levi Rankin, Kenai

-Public Speaking-

Intermediate Speech 1st: Skye Glessing, Kenai
Intermediate Extemporaneous 1st: Skye Glessing, Kenai
Senior Speech 1st: Ella Rankin, Kenai
Senior Speech 2nd: Levi Rankin, Kenai
Senior Speech 3rd: Timothy Dote, Tanana
Senior Extemporaneous 1st: Ella Rankin, Kenai
Senior Extemporaneous 2nd: Levi Rankin, Kenai
Senior Extemporaneous 3rd: Timothy Dote, Tanana

Overall Public Speaking:

Champ: Ella Rankin, Kenai
Reserve Champ: Skye Glessing, Kenai

-Art Show-

Overall Art Show:

Champ: Sylvia Reimers, MatSu
Reserve Champ: Timothy Dote, Tanana

-Overall Contest High Points-

Contest Grand Overall: Ella Rankin, Kenai
Contest Reserve Grand Overall: Skye Glessing, Kenai
Contest Third Overall: Sylvia Reimers, MatSu
Contest Fourth Overall: Levi Rankin, Kenai

-Quiz Bowl-

Intermediate 1st: Kaelin Topp, Tanana
Intermediate 2nd: Skye Glessing, Kenai
Senior 1st: Sylvia Reimers, MatSu
Senior 2nd: Ella Rankin, Kenai
Senior 3rd: Levi Rankin, Kenai

Overall Quiz Bowl:

Champ: Sylvia Reimers, MatSu
Reserve Champ: Ella Rankin, Kenai

-Skill-a-Thon-

Intermediate 1st: Kaelin Topp, Tanana
Intermediate 2nd: Skye Glessing, Kenai
Senior 1st: Ella Rankin, Kenai
Senior 2nd: Sylvia Reimers, MatSu
Senior 3rd: Timothy Dote, Tanana

Overall Skill-a-Thon:

Champ: Ella Rankin, Kenai
Reserve Champ: Sylvia Reimers, MatSu



-Team Placings-

Judging: Kenai 1st, Tanana 2nd
Skill-a-Thon: Kenai 1st, Tanana 2nd
Quiz Bowl: Kenai 1st, Tanana 2nd

-Special Thanks To-

Alicia Glessing
Birth to Bacon Farm
Carrie Topp
Cori Clemmons, Miss Rodeo Alaska
Dean Ruble
Devin Huffman
Dr. Joanne McCrea & vet students
(Dallon & Jessie)
Eugenia Hartsook
Free Rangers 4-H Club
Huffman Ranch
Jeff Hartsook
Kamryn Bryan
Lorrie Powalski Family Farm
Malena Dote
Marla Lowder
Ronda Boswell
Tanja Bryan
Tommy G's Meat & Sausage
William Eisele

The 2024 State Livestock Contest was a success because of the time, care, and hard work put in by these devoted individuals! You make the best better in Alaska 4-H!



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Mark your calendars!

YQCA in person class scheduled for Sat. June 15th @ 11 a.m.!



YQCA is a required workshop for all Alaska 4-H JML members! The online class or the in-person workshop are your two options for completing the course!

NEW STATEWIDE CLUB!

ALASKA LIVESTOCK LEARNERS - STATE 4-H CLUB

WHO: All Alaska 4-H members

WHAT: Statewide 4-H club focused on livestock contest studies and all things livestock.

WHERE: Zoom, special interdistrict events, state and national events.

WHEN: May - Sept. 2024. Will continue as a club for 2024-25 if participation warrants.

WHY: To provide belonging, challenge, and mastery for youth wishing to grow in their livestock knowledge while connecting 4-H'ers across Alaska to form friendships, study partnerships, and sources of encouragement.

HOW: Monthly learning sessions delivered via Zoom with a focus each month on one segment of the state and national livestock contests, with additional time and opportunity for youth-led activities and shared learning experiences.



-To Sign Up:

Enroll in Z-Suites under "Alaska Livestock Learners." You can enroll in this statewide club in addition to your district club!

You will be sent a welcoming email and links for meeting times and study resources!

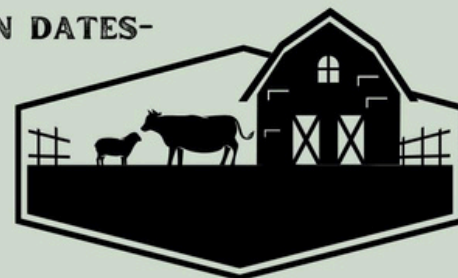
-Questions?:

Contact Cassandra Rankin, State Livestock Administrator at:

crankin4@alaska.edu or 907.398.3588.

-2024 SESSION DATES-

- TUES, MAY 21
- TUES, JUNE 18
- TUES, JULY 16
- TUES, AUG 13
- TUES, SEPT 17



ALL SESSIONS 5-7 PM

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AG EXPO 2024!

JULY 26-28, 2024 SOLDOTNA SPORTS CENTER

Kenai Peninsula District 4-H

AG EXPO 2024

Put on Your Boots and Get Back to Your Roots!



Come celebrate 4-H, agriculture, potatoes, peonies, and community at this year's 4-H Ag Expo!

SAVE THE DATES!

LIVESTOCK SHOWS, AUCTION, CLASSES, ACTIVITIES:

July 26th - July 28th

Soldotna Regional Sports Complex

HORSE SHOW & EQUINE EVENTS:

August 2nd - 4th

Soldotna Rodeo Grounds



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**Boot and peony design for 2024 Expo mailings and merch by Junior division member Brook A. of Soldotna South Side 4-H Club!*



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PACKAGES ON KP4H.COM**

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KP 4-H LEADERS CONNECT

LEADER LUNCHES (IN PERSON MTG)

~~SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1:30 - 3 PM~~

SATURDAY, MAY 18, 1:30 - 3 PM

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 1:30 - 3 PM

SATURDAY, SEPT. 21, 1:30 - 3 PM

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION OFFICE



LEADER CHECK-INS (ON ZOOM)

~~THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 6 - 7:30 PM~~

THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 6 - 7:30 PM

THURSDAY, SEPT. 19. 6 - 7:30 PM



Bring:

- Ideas!
- Laptop!
- Questions!
- Creativity!



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KP4-H WANTS YOU!



The youth of KP4-H have spoken! Here's what they want to see more of....

Workshops

Record Book
Cat/Dog Competitions
Sheep Shearing
Steer
Poultry
Goats
Vet/First Aid
Animal Handling

Projects

Pocket Pets
Vet Science
Creative Writing
Experiments
Sewing
Arts&Crafts
Youth in Governance
Computers
Fishing/Hunting
Cooking

We need YOU to help us give our youth the best 4-H year yet! Volunteer to teach a workshop or help teach in any project area you're familiar with!

BREEDERS TAKE NOTE

New born after and possession dates for the
2025 Ag Expo!

Sheep

Born after: October 1st

Possession by: April 1st

Minimum weight of 100lbs

Goat

Born after: August 1st

Possession by: April 1st

Minimum weight of 60lbs

****Must be known meat breed to be raised for JML****

Swine

Born after: December 1st

Possession by: March 1st

Minimum weight does not change

The born after and possession dates for the
2024 Ag Expo can be found in your
JML policies!

WHO: All JML'ers

NEW FOR 2024!

WHAT: Beginning with JML Auction 2024, all JML members are asked to provide their own buyer bag to gift their buyer at auction immediately following the sale of their animal.

WHERE: Drop your buyer bag with your JML'ers name clearly marked to Ms Jenica on Friday night of Expo near the arena.

WHEN: Have your buyer bag in Friday night and it will be ready for your JML'er to come grab and deliver to their buyer immediately following the sale of their animal at auction.

WHY: Two reasons. While one person has been in charge of this very important part of our auction for years, our program has grown to such that it is time for families to assume this responsibility. Secondly, having dozens of identical buyer bags means that those buyers who purchase multiple animals are receiving bags of identical items. It is time to personalize and diversify as we show our buyers thanks for their purchases.

HOW: Put together a well thought out goodie bag for the person who purchases your animal. Bring this bag to Expo and have to arena by Friday night clearly marked with your name. When the auctioneer sells your animal, you will come to the gift table, get your bag, go to your buyer, shake their hand, thank them, and give them their goodie bag. Ms Jenica will continue to oversee the gift table as she has for years, making sure each buyer gets the correct bag.



-IDEAS FOR YOUR BUYER BAG-

- Home grown veggies
- 4-H Swag
- Engraved cutting boards or Yeti-type cups
- Fancy spices or sauces that would complement the product you raised
- Homemade goodies packaged prettily
- A thank you card and photo of you with your animal is a nice touch!
- Tons of ideas on Pinterest!

JML DEADLINES 2023-24



○ Annual Meeting Dec 4th: JML deadline for 2023-24 JML enrollment.

○ **POSSESSION DATE = Your animal must be in your possession no later than this date. Varies by species. Connect w/ your Superintendent SOON after enrollment if you haven't yet!**
***JML Paperwork Packet due by your Possession Date!**



○ **Jan 22nd: JML 101 Workshop**
(Required for all JML members! This session will have Zoom option for members in outlying communities.)



○ **Feb. 10: New 4-H members at Rally Day may sign up for JML.**



○ **April 16th, 6:30 - 8 pm: Salesmanship - Required for all JML'ers**

○ **June: Deadline for Expo entry forms for all animal exhibits and Record Book check. - Required, Date TBD**

○ **July: Deadline to finish assigned Business Contacts - Required, Date TBD**

○ **July 26-28: Four required workshops logged by end of Expo.**

○ **September: Record Book turned in to 4-H leader**



Paperwork!

JML'ers! Is your 2024 Intent to Sell complete?

We should currently have on file all youth members' ITS for:

- Steer
- Turkey
- Swine

KP 4-H Junior Market Livestock Intent to Sell

This form must be on file at: Kenai Peninsula District Cooperative Extension Service
Send to: crankin4@alaska.edu or akglessing@alaska.edu

Intent to Sell due at JML 101.

Photos due to your file by the animal's possession date.



Name of Exhibitor _____

Parent's/Guardian's Name _____

Email & Contact Phone _____

Date _____ 4-H Club _____

4-H Leader _____

Received: _____

Recorded by: _____

Exhibitor may raise two animals of the same species as their JML project, however, only one animal per youth is eligible to be auctioned. If you are only raising one animal, indicate NA in the space for Animal #2.

ANIMAL #1

Type of Animal _____ Breed _____

Exact Date of Birth _____ Breeder/Farm _____

Circle one: Gilt Barrow Ewe lamb Wether lamb Doeling Wether goat

ANIMAL #2

Type of Animal _____ Breed _____

Exact Date of Birth _____ Breeder/Farm _____

Circle one: Gilt Barrow Ewe lamb Wether lamb Doeling Wether goat

**Exhibitor must also submit two clear color photographs of animal showing:
Front view AND Side view** (No photos required for rabbits or poultry)

Photos due at Possession Date. Intent to Sell form indicates intent to take part in the KP 4-H JML but in no way fulfills all requirements of the program. Members must maintain their paperwork, educational commitments, business contacts, and involvement in JML work in order to fulfill all requirements of the program.



KP 4-H JML Animal Possession Dates, Age, and Weight Requirement
Traditional Dates and Special Adjustments for 2024 Sales –

Rev Dec. 2023: JML Supers. Board & CR

Animal	Possession Date for 2024	2021-2023 Possession Date	Age of Animal	Weight. Limit/Other
Prospect Calves (Steers) Not for market this year	January 1	January 1	Under 12 months of age (1 year) at time of show	N/A
Finished Beef/ Market Steer	January 1	January 1	Born after January 1 prior year	Steers & heifers: 900 lb. min. @ sale. Must be dehorned and castrated; >48" in height.
Feeder Beef	March 15	March 15	No older than 8 ½ months	Minimum: 450 lb. @ Expor. Must be dehorned and castrated.
Finished Beef/ Miniature Market Steer	January 1	January 1	Born after Jan. 1 prior year	Steers & heifers: 700 lb. min. @ Expo. Must be dehorned and castrated. <48" in height.
Alpaca	January 1	January 1	Born after Jan. 1 prior year	110 lbs. min
Llama	January 1	January 1	Born after Jan. 1 prior year	
Reindeer	February 1 (encourage youth to get animal as early as possible)	February 1	Born after Jan. 1 prior year	160 lbs. minimum weight
Goose	April 15 (hatched after Feb 15)	May 1	Hatched after March 1	10 lbs. minimum weight
Turkey	March 20 (Hatched after Feb. 6)	April 15	Hatched after Feb. 6	20 lbs. minimum weight
Lamb	April 15 (encourage youth to get animal as early as possible)	May 1	Born after December 1	Ewes & castrated lambs 90 lb. minimum weight-140 lbs. Must be slick shorn
Goat	April 15 (encourage youth to get animal as early as possible)	May 1	Born after November 1	Wethers/does (11/5/05) 45 lbs. minimum weight
Swine	April 1 (encourage youth to get animal as early as possible)	April 15	Born after December 1	Gilts & Barrows 180 lb minimum weight-280 lbs.
Ducks	June 1 (hatched after April 15)	June 15	Hatched after May 1	Pen of 3, total weight of all 3 being 12 lbs. minimum weight
Rabbits	May 20	June 4	No older than 12 wks @ sale	Pen of 3 weighing 3-5 lb. each
Chickens	June 1 (Hatched after Feb 20)	June 15	Hatched after Feb. 20	Pen of 3 weighing 4 lb. min each
Heritage Turkey	Sept. - Dec. of prior year	Sept. - Dec. of prior year	1 year	10 lb. minimum weight
Game Birds			Species vary. Contact Poultry Superintendent.	



CLUB CORNER



Northwind Riders had a business meeting . Some topics discussed were fundraising ideas, horse shot clinic and helping at Rodeos . Also Northwind Riders had horse time meeting at Elizabeth's House. The youth got to groom the horses and then work on hand showmanship. Then they got to work with the sheep. Their goal was to be able to walk the sheep from one

area to another.

-Jonathan Loop

Northwind Rider

Informational Officer

Peninsula Pioneers had a blast learning how to make Spruce Tip Syrup and learning how to tap birch teas to make syrup. The club families will gather as much birch water possible . Our next meeting we will learn

how to cook it down into syrup !

-Toni Loop

Peninsula Pioneers

Club Leader

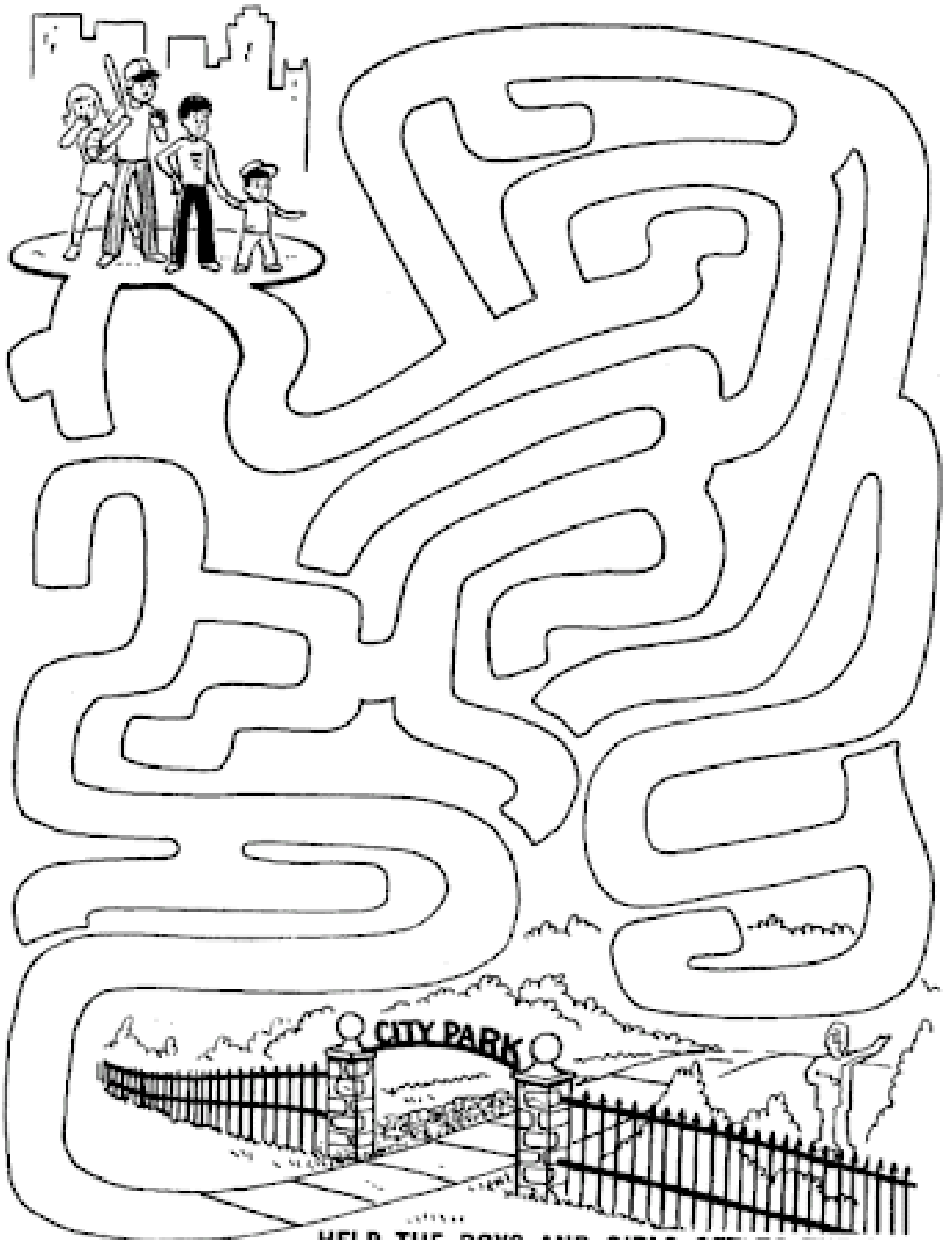
We have a meeting on the May 25th where we will hopefully be doing a fun outdoor activity depending on the weather.

-Submitted by Skye Glessing

Funner River Lynx President

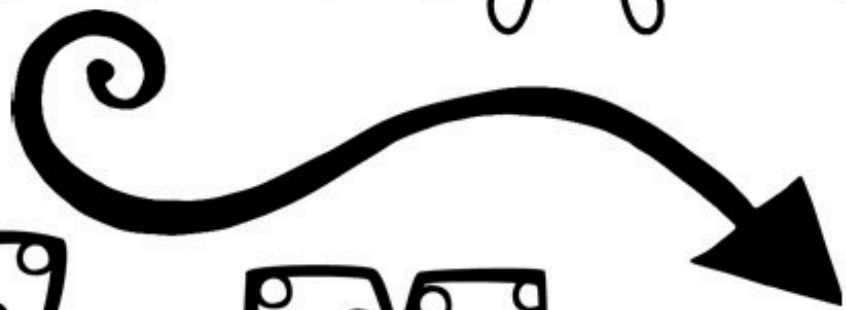
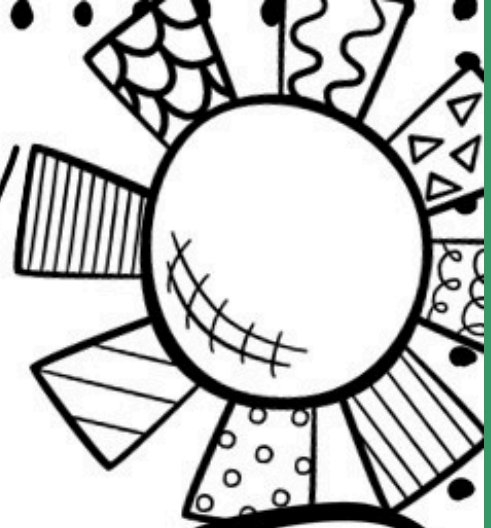


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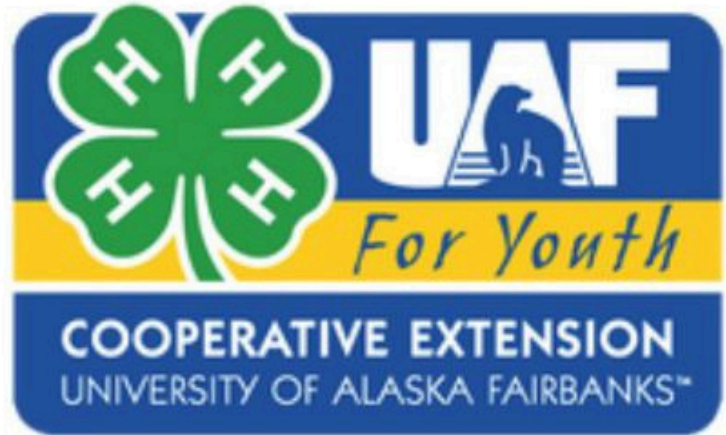
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- Informal longtime Facebook group for parents, leaders, alumni, etc.: KP 4-H Connect Facebook group.
- Connect to your club's FB page if they have one!
- Follow for district blog at: www.kp4h.com
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- Keep up with Alaska 4-H Horse happenings at <http://www.alaska4h.org/horse-programming.html>
- Join Remind app for text updates at: www.remind.com/join/kp4hfam
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